

## Ammunition Community of Practice

## [ Ammo CoP ]

## NEWSLETTER

### From the Desk of:

Our weekly update focuses on new discussions, content and members. The Ammo CoP offers members a chance to connect and collaborate with, quality content and discussions available, all specifically for all professionals who work with and/or around ammunition (Military, Civilians and Contractors alike)! Pass this newsletter on to your friends and peers that may not have heard about the Ammo CoP and invite them to join us at: <a href="https://acc.dau.mil/ammo">https://acc.dau.mil/ammo</a>

#### Feature Requests...

In a continued effort to improve on this Newsletter and make it serve the purpose of the CoP, if you have something you would like to see highlighted in this newsletter (people, activities, ammo items, etc...), or if you have any pictures and/or bits of information you would like to include in future newsletters, please send them to me.



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## Questions and Answers



Do you have questions for your peers and fellow Ammunition Professionals? If so logon to: <a href="https://acc.dau.mil/ammo">https://acc.dau.mil/ammo</a> and post your question so that our members can share their experience, knowledge and expertise with you. <a href="Before using the "Ask an Expert" feature please table your questions in the forum.">https://acc.dau.mil/ammo</a> and post your questions with you. <a href="Before using the "Ask an Expert" feature please table your questions in the forum.

#### Question about M999 C4 Charge

**James:** What is the price of the M999 C4 Charge, Inert? TAMIS does not list the price for the M999 C4 Charge. Click here to respond.

#### **NOTICE MIN 16-01**

MLRS, 1340-01-122-3506 H104 SHELF LIFE EXTENSION FOR ONLY U.S. ARMY MISSILES STORED IN THE REPUBLIC OF KOREA.

Request this <u>MIN</u> be disseminated to all Army Personnel involved in ammunition and explosives operations.

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# **Department of Defense**Lock Program



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**1-800-290-7607**; **1-805-982-1212**; **DSN**: **551-1212**. Contributed by Mr. Tibbetts

Remember this forum is for collaboration and knowledge sharing among all of us within the ammunition community. If you have a question that we may be able to help you answer, or if you have developed an SOP, best practice, or TTP that helps you do your job, post it to Ammo CoP. The few minutes you take to upload something could save someone else hours of work. If you're not sure how or need assistance just send me a note or visit the user training site available at: https://acc.dau.mil/usertraining

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#### **AIN 025-16**

GRENADE, OFFENSIVE, MK3 SERIES (DODACS 1330-G910 AND 1330-G911) RESTRICTED TO USE IN ORS/OCO ONLY - ASBESTOS HAZARD

Request this <u>AIN</u> be disseminated to all personnel involved in inspecting, storing, handling, issuing, or using subject ammunition.

The MK3 series grenade inventory has been determined to contain asbestos. The exterior coating and residue of the grenade contains between 17-50% chrysotile asbestos. Exposure must be limited to reduce health risk.

There is no direct ammunition substitute for the MK3 series grenade. The M84 Stun Grenade can be used as alternate ammunition to support limited concussion operations; however the M84 lacks the lethal overpressure capabilities of the MK3. Commanders should modify tactics to use the M84 Stun Grenade in confined spaces. See TC 3-23.30, Grenades and Pyrotechnic Signals for safety procedures and precautions for use of the M84 Stun Grenade.



# Ammunition Item of the Week

**DODIC – G911** Grenade, Hand: Offensive, MK32

The MHP Inspection Criteria Module has inspection criteria for the G911.

<u>Ammunition Multimedia Encyclopedia (AME)</u> has a stepby-step inspection video showing defects for the G911.

TM 43-0001-29, Ammunition Data Sheets for Grenades TC 3-23.30, Grenades and Pyrotechnic Signals TM 9-1330-200-34, Marine Corps TM 1330-34/1A Direct and General Support for Grenades TM 9-1330-200-12, Operator's and Organizational Maintenance Manual for Grenades

### TM 9-1330-200-34, Marine Corps TM 1330-34/1A

Direct and General Support for Grenades With change 9, 29 October 2015

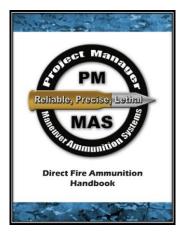
This manual is one of a series of technical manuals (TM's) covering general and technical information, servicing, operation, and maintenance of subject materiel. Information in this manual is limited to responsibilities of direct and general support maintenance personnel (i.e., maintenance which is beyond the scope of the tools, equipment or supplies normally available to operator and organizational personnel). Contributed by Mr. Smith



### **Fire Symbols**

Here you can find examples of some <u>Fire</u> <u>Symbols</u> that may come in handy.

Contributed by Mr. Murphy



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#### Don't Forget...

This is our community and it'll only be as good as we make it. I'm always interested in hearing any ideas you may have in reference to suggested improvements to this newsletter or the CoP- if you have any suggestions, please send them to me.

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